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4 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
5 DISTRICT OF NEVADA

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7 STEVEN R. DAVIS,

Case No. 2:18-cv-00673-JCM-PAL

8 Plaintiff,

9 v.

ORDER

10 UNITEL VOICE, LLC, et al.,

(IFP App. – ECF No. 1)

11 Defendants.

12 This matter is before the court on Plaintiff Steven R. Davis' Application to Proceed *In*
13 *Forma Pauperis* (ECF No. 1). This Application was referred to the undersigned pursuant to 28
14 U.S.C. § 636(a) and LR IB 1-3 of the Local Rules of Practice.

15 Mr. Davis is proceeding in this action *pro se*, which means that he is not represented by an
16 attorney. *See* LSR 2-1. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1914(a) and the Judicial Conference Schedule of
17 Fees, a \$400 filing fee is required to commence a civil action in a federal district court. However,
18 any person who is unable to prepay the fees in a civil case may apply to the court for authority to
19 proceed *in forma pauperis* ("IFP"), meaning without prepaying the full \$400 filing fee. *See* 28
20 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(1); LSR 1-1.

21 On April 13, 2018, Davis commenced this action by filing a proposed complaint and IFP
22 application. But he subsequently remitted the full \$400 filing fee on April 27, 2018. *See* Receipt
23 of Payment (ECF No. 3). The Clerk of the Court therefore filed his Complaint (ECF No. 4) on the
24 court's docket and issued summons. *See* Summons (ECF No. 5). Accordingly, Mr. Davis' request
25 to proceed IFP will be denied as moot, and the court will not conduct a screening of the complaint.

26 Accordingly,

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- Dated this 7th day of May, 2018.

PEGGY A. LEEN
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE